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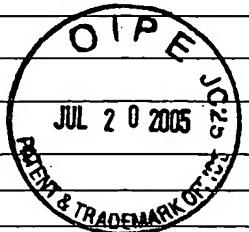
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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES	
	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Small Entity

Fee (\$) Fee (\$)

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Each independent claim over 30 (including Reissues)

200 100

Multiple dependent claims

360 180

Total Claims

20

Extra Claims

-20 or HP=

Fee (\$)

x

Fee Paid (\$)

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Multiple Dependent Claims

Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$)

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

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Indep. Claims

2

Extra Claims

- 3 or HP=

Fee (\$)

x

Fee Paid (\$)

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